

MARKET WAS FLAT AND DISPIRED

Despite of Aggressive Strength in Some Prominent Stocks.

CALL LOAN RATE STIFFENED

Accentuating the Hesitating Tone of the Market Due to Anxiety Over Showing of To-Day's Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The stock market was rather flat and dispirited during the early hours of to-day's trading. The tone of the market for the rest of the day was rather flat and dispirited, but some aggressive strength by prominent and notable advances by a number of rather obscure stocks.

The various metal stocks had a period of strength. Otherwise the market was rather tranquil and disposed to reaction after a late rally. The granular were conspicuous in the late rally, which wiped out many previous losses.

The hesitating tone of the market was due to a recurrent anxiety over the showing to be made by to-morrow's bank statement. This anxiety was stimulated by a late stiffening of the call-loan rate to 9 per cent. on demand from before the previous evening's closing.

Money and Exchange.—Money on call firm at 5/8 per cent. last but at 6 per cent. on 15 days. Western bank note at 5 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers' market at 100/10.

Table with columns for Stock Quotations, including various stocks like American Cotton Oil, American Mining, and others.

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Table listing various commodities and their prices, including different grades of cotton, sugar, and other goods.

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PEANUT MARKETS

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—PEANUTS.—Farmers' stock, low crop, fancy, 2 1/2c; strictly prime, 2 1/4c; prime, 2 1/4c; Spanish, 6c; bushel. Market late of old nuts. Time firm.

COTTON MARKETS. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—COTTON.—The early market for cotton futures proved to be very disappointing, not only as regards the volume of business, but as to the scope of fluctuations.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 17.—COTTON.—Futures and steady. December, 7.00; January, 7.00; February, 7.00; March, 7.00; April, 7.00; May, 7.00; June, 7.00; July, 7.00; August, 7.00; September, 7.00; October, 7.00; November, 7.00; December, 7.00.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 17.—COTTON.—Spot market quiet. American middling, 2 1/2c; good, 2 1/4c; low, 2 1/4c.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—FLOUR.—Opened steady and quiet. Hard winter wheat, 1 1/2c; soft winter wheat, 1 1/4c.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET. RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 17, 1899. GOV. SECURITIES. U.S. 5% reg. 108 1/2; U.S. 4% reg. 107 1/2; U.S. 3% reg. 106 1/2.

CITY SECURITIES. RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 17, 1899. Rich. City 5% R. 104-106; Rich. City 4% R. 102-104; Rich. City 3% R. 100-102.

INS. COMPANIES. Amer. Fire and Marine, 25 40; Fire and Marine, 25 30; Fire and Marine, 25 30.

PRICES OF PIG ARE MAINTAINED

Though Signs of Shrinkage in New Demand Become More Clear.

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NEW YORK DRY GOODS MARKET. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Scarcity of merchandise and business in staple cotton goods. Even at recent advances the demand is fuller than sellers care to accommodate.

NATAL STORES. CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 17.—TURBENTINE.—Market firm at 48c; sales, 100 barrels. ROSIN.—Firm and unchanged; sales, none.

TOBACCO MARKET. RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 17, 1899. Inspections to-day were: Bright, 41 bales; Good, 100 bales; Low, 100 bales.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. President Arthur died, November 18, 1899. Sun rises 6:54 A. M.; sets 4:59 P. M. Moon rises 12:24 A. M.; sets 11:30 P. M.

HUNTING IN MECKLENBURG. Bishop Randolph Confirms a Class. Mormon Elders at Work. CHASE CITY, VA., Nov. 17.—Special.—The season for hunting wild geese has been very favorable and numbers of sportsmen from a distance are here.

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PECULATION IN MATERIAL Threatens Some Embarrassment in Woolens, Yet Textile Manufacturers are Doing Well—Cotton Goods Advance.

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Pemberton, Codes & Mosby. Some Very Attractive Values for Saturday's Hosiery Shoppers.

- Children's Fast Black Extra Heavy Ribbed Black Cotton Hose, a regular 16 2-1/2 value..... 12 1-2c
Children's Extra Fine Gauge Fast Black and Tan Ribbed Cotton Hose, double heels, soles and toes..... 25c
Children's Extra Fine Fast Black Lisle and Cotton Ribbed Hose..... 50c

Black Cat Brand Fast Black Stockings. (Not Leather, But Wear Like Leather.)

- Two weights—medium and heavy—triple heels, soles and toes, all sizes..... 25c
Ladies' Fast Black Lisle and Cotton Hose, plain and drop-stitch, a regular 35c value..... 25c
Ladies' Extra Fine Gauge Fast Black Lisle and Cotton Hose, a regular 50c. value..... 35c

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THE INJUNCTION WAS DISSOLVED

Decree in R. P. and C. Case Entered in Manchester. WORK TO BE RESUMED TO-DAY.

It is in Heavy Deposit and Covers a Wide Area. GREENSBORO, N. C., Nov. 17.—Special.—An excellent quality of iron ore has been found near Ekin, on the North Wilkesboro railroad.

IRON ORE DISCOVERED. GREENSBORO, N. C., Nov. 17.—Special.—An excellent quality of iron ore has been found near Ekin, on the North Wilkesboro railroad.

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MEETING PARKS. And Forestry Committee, Asheville, N. C., November 22, 1899.

WORKING NIGHT AND DAY. The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills.

RED HOT FROM THE GUN. Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the civil war. It helped for 30 years.

HARDY ROSE BUSHES. Now is the time to plant for blooming next spring.

ROB ROY BAKING POWDER. Absolutely pure and wholesome.